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FILING COMPLETION UNDER RULE 53(f)

(NOT PCT Applications)
For Design, Provisional, or Utility ApplicationsPATENT
APPLICATIONCOMPLETION Under
Rule 53(f)

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Inventor(s): HELLMICH et al.

Attn: Application Division

Appln. No.:

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Client Ref

Filed: February 11, 2002

Title: DEVICE FOR DELIVERING AND/OR SPRAYING FLOWABLE MEDIA, ESPECIALLY FLUIDS

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Date: August 16, 2002

Sir:

The following completes the filing under Rule 53(f) of the above-identified patent application:

1. **Notice to File Missing Parts** ☒ copy attached ☐ not yet received
2. ☒ Signed Declaration attached. ☐ Original ☒ Facsimile/Copy

(Always "X" box 2 if filling signed Declaration and

"X" box 2A only if top box of the Declaration is X'd and file application copy, or"X" box 2B only if none of the top three boxes of the Declaration is X'd.)

- 2A. ☒ Attached: Original signed Declaration with attached specification (including claim(s)) which is a copy of specification and claim(s) originally filed to secure the above filing date.
- 2B. ☐ The original application as filed in the PTO on the above filing date is the application which each inventor executed by signing the attached Rule 63 Declaration.
3. ☒ Specification originally filed in non-English language; hence verified translation attached of:
- a. ☒ Abstract
- b. ☐ # 31 pages of Specification (only spec. & claims)
- c. ☒ Drawing(s) 3
No of Sheets
☒ Fig(s). 1-3
4. ☐ Letter filing formal drawing attached.
5. ☒ Attached is an assignment and cover sheet. Please return the recorded assignment to the undersigned.
6. DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1) PCT/EP00/07210	July 26, 2000	(2)	
(3)		(4)	
(5)		(6)	

7. FOREIGN priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in Germany

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1) 199 37 988.2	August 11, 1999	(2)	
(3)		(4)	
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Completion Under Rule 53(f)

9. _____ (No.) Certified copy (copies): ☐ attached; ☐ previously filed (date) _____
in U.S. Application No. _____ / filed on _____
10. Small Entity Status ☒ is Not claimed ☐ is claimed (file PAT-256 if this is the first claim of Small Entity Status)
11. ☒ Attached: Submission of Certified Translation of Non-English Patent Application
12. ☒ Please see the attached Preliminary Amendment which reduces the number of claims for purposes of reducing the initial filing fee.

**THE FOLLOWING FILING FEE IS BASED ON CLAIMS AS FILED LESS ANY
CHANGED BY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT PER ITEM 12 ABOVE**

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13. Basic Filing Fee				Design Application Not Design Application		106/26 101/201
14. Total Effective Claims	65	minus 20 =	45	x \$18/\$9	+810	103/203
15. Independent Claims	1	minus 3 =	0	x \$84/\$42	+0	102/202
16. If <u>any proper</u> multiple dependent claim (ignore improper) is present, (Leave this line blank if this is a reissue application)				\$280/\$140	+0	104/204
17. Surcharge for filing Declaration/filing fee late				\$130/\$65	+130	105/205
18. FILING FEE =				\$940		
19. Original due date: June 16, 2002						
20. Petition is hereby made to extend the <u>original</u> due date to				(1 mo)	\$110/\$55 =	+400
cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee				(2mos)	\$400/\$200 =	115/215
is attached				(3mos)	\$920/\$460 =	116/216
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21. If "non-English" box 3 is X'd, add Rule 17(k) processing fee				\$130	+130	118/218
22. If "assignment" box 5 is X'd, add recording fee.				\$40	+40	139
23. Petition Fee for				\$130	+0	581
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English.
- Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than the appropriate 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN

ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$260** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- **\$130** for English translation surcharge required.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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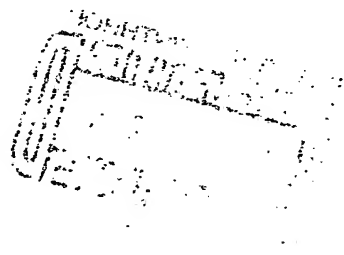
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**SUBMISSION OF CERTIFIED TRANSLATION
OF NON-ENGLISH PATENT APPLICATION**

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit a translation of the application filed on February 11, 2002 in the German language. The signed Translation Statement Under Rule 52(d) is on the last page of the translated patent application under the section entitled "Summary".

Applicant ask that the processing fee of \$130 for providing the certified translation of the above application for entry of this submission, be charged to our Deposit Account No. 03-3975, with reference to Order No. 009919/0290511.

Respectfully submitted,

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